High court Judges.

10. *Mr. K. M. Kesavan : Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement by caste of High Court Judges, District Judges and Second Judges?

Mr. Puthupally S. Krishna Pillai (*Legal Remembrancer to Government*): The *statement is laid on the table.

Payment of Vrischikam and Dhanu instalments of Land Tax

11. *Mr. K M. Kesavan : Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have received any representation from the people or their representatives of Karunagapalli and Karthipally recently, to postpone the payment of Vrischikam and Dhanu instalments of land tax to Makaram and Kumbhom ; and if so whether they have passed any orders on them?

Mr. M. Ramachandra Rao: Government are not satisfied with the reasonableness of the request.

Appointments of clerks in the Census Commissioner's Office.

12. *Mr. M. Sultan Muhladheen (*Trivandrum and Nedumangad* cum *Chirayinkil*) : Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the names, castes, qualifications, pay and date of appointment of the clerks appointed from 1-6-1115 to 1-5-1116 by the Census Commissioner ?

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi (*Census Commissiner*) : The †statement asked for is laid on the table.

Sahib Bahadur T. Mahomed Ismail (*Nominated*) : May I know the reason why number 5 in appendix V is given a pay of Rs. 40 while numbers 6 and 7 are given only Rs. 25 ?

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: Certainly, he must have been more qualified than the other people.

Sahib Bahadur Mahomed Ismail: May I point out, Sir, that the qualification given in this list is only—B. A. I want to know whether there is any special qualification attached to that degree.

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: Competence to do the work assigned to him is the special qualification.

Sahib Bahadur T. Mahomed Ismail : The date of appointment of No. 5 is 3 months after the appointment of Nos. 6 and 7, I do not know how this special qualification has been seen at the time of appointment of No. 5 and not earlier when Nos. 6 and 7 were appointed.

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi : Sir, No. 5, has been put for a specific work connected with the economic investigation. A person suitable for that purpose was appointed. It was only later that such a clerk was required.

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* Vide Appendix IV—page 10.

† Vide Appendix V—page 11.

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Sahib Bahadur T. Mahomed Ismail: May I know whether there was a notification to the effect that a clerk with special qualification was necessary ?

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: The appointment was not notified.

Sahib Bahadur T. Mahomed Ismail: In that case, I should like to know whether it is just on the part of the authorities to appoint people with the same qualification three months before on Rs. 25 and to appoint another with the same qualification on Rs. 40 later.

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: Sir, there may be graduates and graduates, but, there are some people alone who are qualified for special purposes while others are not.

Sahib Bahadur T. Mahomed Ismail: Why was not the special qualification shown in the appendix ?

Mr. A. Narayana Tampi: Only degrees are shown. The other qualifications are not shown, as the honourable member might have noticed.

Mr. V. Sankara Menon (*Trivandrum and Nedumangad cum Chirayinkil*): What is the nature of the special qualification ?

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: Knowledge of economics and adaptability for taking economic statistics.

Mr. Kochikal P. Balakrishnan Tampi (*Karunagapally, Karthigapally and Ambalapuzha cum Sherthallai*): Am I to understand that the different clerks went through a regular intelligence test ?

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: I do not know what name I should give the test ; certainly, they must have been tested.

Sahib Bahadur T. Mahomed Ismail: Is the pay decided on the date of the appointment or after the test ?

Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi: Naturally when a person is appointed he is told what his pay is.

Mr. T. Krishna Pillai: I rise to a point of order. Can a member who has already put supplementary questions, interpellate a second time, after other members have put questions ?

President: Generally it is not allowed. But since the member is displaying some emotion I am allowing him.

Deputation from the people of Kartigapally taluk.

13. ***Mr. K. M. Kesavan:** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they have received any deputation and representation from the people of Karthikapalli taluk to take certain P. W. D. works in order to provide work and thus afford relief to the starving thousands of poor people that inhabit that taluk ;

(*b*) if so when did they receive them ; and,

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Appendix V.

Vide **Answer to Question No. 12.**

Statement of appointments of clerks in the Census Commissioner's Office from 1-6-1115 to 1-5-1116.

No.	Name.	Qualifications.	Community.	Date of appointment.	Pay Rs.	Designation.	Remarks.
1	N. Parameswaran Pillai	M.A.,B.L.	Nair	1-7-1115	100	Head Clerk and Statistical Superintendent.	Transferred from the Statistics Section of the office of the Director of Public Health.
2	M. G. Achuthan Nair	B. Com.	Nair	1-11-1115	75	Head Accountant.	Transferred from the Accountant-General's Office.
3	S. Thandaveswara Iyer	E.S.L.C.	Brahmin	1-7-1115	70	Clerk	Transferred from the Office of the Director of Agriculture.
4	M. T. Joseph	B.A.,B.L.	Syrian Catholic	7-9-1115	50	*Do.*	New appointment.
5	S. Varadarajan Nair	B.A.	Nair	22-12-1115	40	Do.	Do.
6	K. Velukutty	B.A.	Ezhava	5-9-1115	25	Do.	Do.
7	C. Meeran Pillai	B.A.	Muslim	8-9-1115	25	Do	Do.
8	K. S. Sankaranarayana Iyer	B.A.	Brahmin	23-12-1115	25	Do.	Do.
9	G. Sivasankara Pillai	B.A. (Shorthand Lower (Distn.) Type-writing L.C.C. (Distn.)	Nair	30-8-1115	40	Stenographer	Transferred from the State Manual Revision Office.
10	S. Chodalamuthu Pillai	London Chamber Lower	Vellala	2-11-1115	25	Typist	New appointment.